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22. [redacted] Per a telephone call from Phyllis Bacon, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, called [redacted] office and asked what title he would like shown beside his name in the 8 April 1975 hearing before that Committee. It was decided his name and Chief, East Asia Division, Central Intelligence Agency, would be used and Ms. Bacon was advised of this.

23. [redacted] I spoke to Jim Davidson, Counsel, Senate Government Operations Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations, after his presentation concerning the Agency's implementation of the Privacy Act and the move to substitute intelligence sources and methods for the Agency's exemption at the FOI symposia. He asked that I meet with him sometime next week to discuss the matter further.

24. [redacted] and I stopped by to talk with Alan Parker on H.R. 61, a bill to control the use of criminal justice information. Mr. Parker is Counsel to the House Judiciary Subcommittee on Civil Rights and Constitutional Rights. He was very sympathetic to the Agency's interests as we outlined them for him. He said that he believed these problems resulted not from any intent to shaft the Agency but rather from the fact that the draftsmen had not considered the Agency at all in writing the bill. I mentioned that this surmise was borne out by my discussions with Jim Wentzel of the Justice Department who apparently wrote the bill. Mr. Parker said that even though the bill's coverage of the Agency was accidental, it would be very difficult to remedy the situation given the "temper of the times" and the orientation of the Committee members. He suggested that our best hope would be a new bill altogether -- a joint venture by Representative Edwards (D., Calif.) and Senator Tunney (D., Calif.) -- which he, Parker, might be called on to draft de novo. It is not certain that this new bill will be requested, but Parker implied that if it was, he would accommodate the Agency's interests. Meanwhile, he said he will try his best to argue the Agency's viewpoint regarding H.R. 61, and he asked us to prepare a series of hypothetical situations which he could use to dramatize the impracticability of applying the bill to the Agency. We left him an aide memoire on H.R. 61.

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Legislative Counsel

Ex. Sec. Mr. Warner  
DDI Mr. Lehman  
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Compt. [redacted]

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14. [ ] Received a call from P. J. Summerville, in the office of Senator Mike Gravel (D., Alaska), requesting [ ] STATSPEC reports on Japanese timber negotiations. I told Ms. Summerville that I would check and be back in touch with her.

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15. [ ] Per [ ] instructions, called Eric Foreman, in the office of Senator Dale Bumpers (D., Ark.), and set up a briefing for the Senator and Foreman for Thursday, 5 June at 10:30 a.m. on the Middle East. [ ] OCI, will do the briefing.

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16. [ ] Called Alan Parker, Counsel to the House Judiciary Subcommittee on Civil Rights and Constitutional Rights to arrange a meeting with him to discuss H.R. 61. [ ] and I will see him on May 30th at 2:00 o'clock.

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18. [ ] Per a telephone call from [ ] OCI, delivered to Clark McFadden, General Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, a NID, "Before the NATO Summit."

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19. [ ] Together with [ ] met with and delivered to Jack Boos, staff member, House Select Committee, copies of the security procedures and related papers which the Senate Select Committee will be following.

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20. [ ] Together with [ ] met with Norm Cornish, Staff Director, House Government Operations Subcommittee on Conservation, Energy, and Natural Resources, and discussed with him Chairman William S. Moorhead's (D., Pa.) request concerning the [ ] I explained to Cornish the present utilization of the [ ] and he was certain this would satisfy the Chairman but asked that we contact him if at any time in the future the [ ] can be used for non-Agency purposes. It was made clear that the briefing was strictly off the record and that the Agency officially is maintaining a "no comment" position on this subject.

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1. [ ] Sat in on a meeting with [ ]  
[ ], and Duke Short, on the staff of the Senate Judiciary  
Subcommittee on Internal Security. [ ]

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2. [ ] Called Mike Telson, House Budget  
Committee staff, and confirmed arrangements for [ ] to  
brief him tomorrow, 22 May 1975, at 2:00 p.m. on energy sources in  
Venezuela and Mexico in connection with Telson's upcoming trip to  
Central and South America under the auspices of the State Department.

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3. [ ] Received a call from David Ianucci, in  
the office of Senator Alan Cranston (D., Calif.), who inquired as to the  
status of a Freedom of Information request from a constituent, [ ]

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[ ] After checking, I called Ianucci back and explained that the  
spelling of the constituent's name had been given to us previously as  
[ ] Ianucci said this was in error and understood that this in effect  
would become a new case since all checks would have to be re-run under  
the corrected name. The Freedom of Information Coordinator was alerted  
to this.

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4. [ ] Alice Smith, Secretary to Jim Cline, House  
Judiciary Committee staff, called on behalf of Mr. Cline confirming that  
an Agency reply to the Committee request concerning the use of the files of  
the now abolished House Internal Security Committee was required.

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5. [ ] Received a call from [ ] OER, 25X1 25X1  
requesting that we handle a call he had received from Skip Spenceley, on the  
House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife  
Conservation and the Environment. Spenceley asked for a briefing on the  
impact upon the Japanese economy if all Japanese exports to the U.S. were cut  
off. The information was needed in connection with pending legislation which would  
direct such action in retaliation if the Japanese whaling industry continues to  
disregard whaling conservation. I told [ ] I would handle the call.

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6. [ ] Talked to Alma Pfaff, formerly of the 25X1  
House Internal Security Committee, now with the House Judiciary Committee  
staff, and verified that she was changing her [ ]  
reports. STATSPEC

7. [ ] Called Terry Modglin, House Merchant 25X1  
Marine and Fisheries Committee staff, regarding the April 21 and 22 hearings  
before the Panama Canal Subcommittee. [ ] had  
requested that we obtain a copy of the hearings if possible. Modglin said  
there would be no problem with my borrowing a copy of both the open and  
executive sessions of the hearings, and I arranged to pick them up from  
him on Wednesday.

8. [ ] Talked to Mr. Malmberg, Assistant 25X1  
Legal Adviser, State Department, concerning the Director's proposed  
position on S. 244 amending the National Security Act of 1947 on (g)(2)  
"illegal activities" prohibition. I recommended that rather than registering  
their concern in writing to OMB they merely refer to their contact with  
us and we for our part will go towards a possible revision on our comment  
on (g)(2) either by limiting our comment to the statement that it is  
inappropriate and unnecessary or provide further explanation of the specific  
problems which could be encountered by the obvious overbreadth of the  
provision. Malmberg agreed.

9. [ ] Bill Jones, INR/State, called 25X1  
and wanted to know if Mr. Malmberg, State Department, and I had yet  
talked on the Director's proposed comments on S. 244 amending the  
National Security Act. I reported the results as stated above.

On our proposed unauthorized disclosure legislation, Jones said  
that Mr. Hyland, OMB, agreed with State's legal advisers that the timing  
was not propitious. I said this involved an arguable difference of opinion  
because I was quite sure Mr. Colby was still committed to pursue the  
legislation and that we were still not convinced that the problems reflected  
in State's proposed reply to OMB on the legislation were solid, but I  
thanked Jones for his good efforts on our behalf.

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15. [ ] Left with the receptionist in the office of Representative Edward I. Koch (D., N.Y.), a copy of the Agency's interim response to constituents, [ ] STATOTHR

16. [ ] Discussed with Carol Thomas, in the office of Representative Philip M. Crane (R., Ill.), the Congressman's letter of 7 May 1975 to the Agency asking that arrangements be made for an Agency representative to interview a constituent when he returns from a one-month trip to Africa. I explained that a [ ] office will be contacting the constituent upon his return and that she could so advise Representative Crane.

18. [ ] Delivered to the office of Senator John O. Pastore (D., R.I.), Chairman of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, a letter from the Director to the Chairman.

19. [ ] In connection with a request from Representative Paul McCloskey (R., Calif.), sent to Ms. Julie Pineau, Secretary, a copy of the publication "Potential Implications of Trends in World Population, Food Production, and Climate."

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25X1 14. [ ] Called [ ]  
25X1 in the office of Representative Charles E. Wiggins (R., Calif.), in  
25X1 connection with his interest in a personnel interview with the Agency,  
25X1 and gave him the phone number of [ ]  
25X1 This came as a result of [ ] recent visit to the Agency on Friday,  
16 May along with other students from Brigham Young University.

25X1 15. [ ] In the absence of [ ], took  
25X1 a call from [ ] Washington Workshops, and told her that  
[ ] would definitely be at Mt. Vernon College  
on Tuesday, 17 June to speak to their Workshop.

25X1 16. [ ] In the absence of [ ] took  
25X1 a call from Tom Smeeton, House International Relations Committee staff,  
who wanted to know if [ ] had been able to get updated copies of  
two charts he had given Smeeton. I told Smeeton that I would check and  
someone would be back in touch. Smeeton said there was no hurry on  
this, he was just checking.

17. [ ] Phoned Alan Parker, Counsel of the  
House Judiciary Committee, on H.R. 61 and 62, bills which regulate the  
dissemination and use of criminal justice information. He informed me  
that hearings which had been scheduled for the first week in June would be  
postponed at least another week. He also told me that a new bill on criminal  
justice information, a combined effort by Senator John V. Tunney (D., Calif.)  
and Congressman Don Edwards (D., Calif.) may be introduced in the near  
future. We concluded by agreeing to meet sometime during the week of the  
27th through 30th May to discuss H.R. 61.

18. [ ] As a follow up to my calls on Saturday to Jack  
Marsh and Bill Kendall, White House staff, regarding the importance of the  
Turkey aid legislation to the Administration, Pat O'Donnell, of the White House  
staff, called and gave me a list of Senators who could "use work" as far as the  
vote on the legislation is concerned. I told him we would do what we could to  
inform them of our stake in this, but strictly from the intelligence side.  
O'Donnell said that would be very helpful.

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7. [ ] Received a call from Ron Tammen on the staff of Senator William Proxmire (D., Wis.). Tammen had previously requested tax data on North Vietnam for some academicians with whom Senator Proxmire is cooperating. We had earlier reported to Tammen that we did not have tax data on North Vietnam, but Tammen now has a cite to a National Intelligence Survey which he believes had the requested data. I passed this information to [ ] who is going to check into it.

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8. [ ] Called Jim Purcell, OMB, who is handling the Justice Department's draft bill on criminal justice, which we have been asked to comment on. I informed Purcell that an identical bill, H.R. 61, drafted by the Justice Department, had already been submitted this Congress and was to be the subject of hearings later this month before a House Judiciary Subcommittee. Purcell was quite puzzled at this and said he would find out the relationship of the two bills.

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9. [ ] Called Jim Wentzel, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, regarding the status of H.R. 61, upon which Justice was scheduled to testify next week. Wentzel informed me that the hearings had been postponed by the House Judiciary Subcommittee on Civil Rights and Constitutional Rights and would probably be rescheduled in June. I also told Wentzel we had received a request for comments on the Justice draft bill identical to H.R. 61 and he was quite perplexed at this development.

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10. [ ] [ ] Washington Workshops, called to confirm the arrangements I had earlier made with her for [ ] to speak to the Workshop group on Tuesday, 17 June at 8:00 p.m. at Mt. Vernon College. The information was passed on to [ ]

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11. [ ] [ ] advised that the Department of Commerce was interested in using unclassified tables which are going to be included in an Agency study on Cuban trade for use in the testimony of Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce for East-West Trade Arthur T. Downey before the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. I thanked [ ] for the alert and told him we had no problem as long as it was cleared through appropriate command channels.

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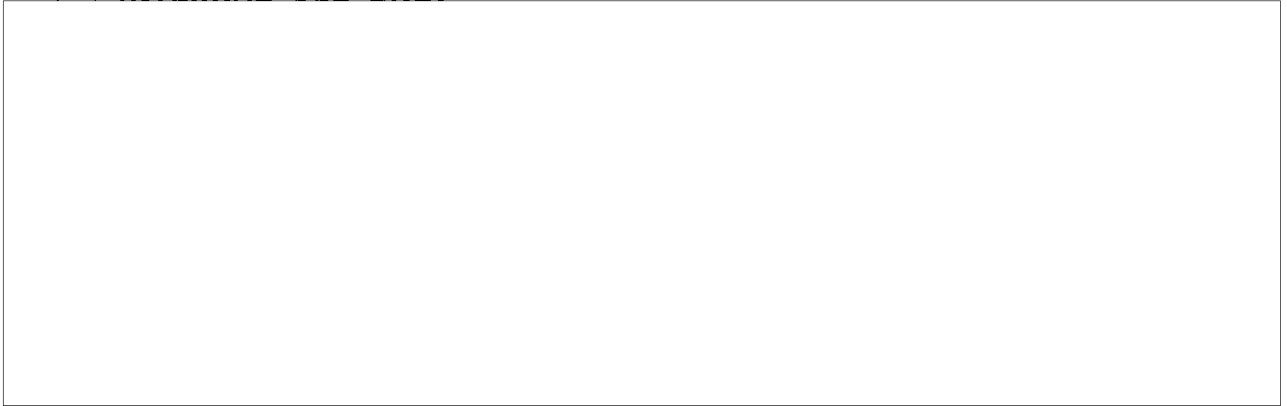
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13. [redacted] Spoke with Jim McConkie, Administrative Assistant to Representative Gunn McKay (D., Utah), concerning their interest in setting up a briefing for a large group of University of Utah students. I told him we would be back in touch with whatever arrangements we could work out.

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14. [redacted] Talked to Arnold Donahue, OMB, regarding our desire for their input on the joint committee paper. Donahue said he would assign the task to Jim Oliver.

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16. [redacted] John Hussy, in the office of Senator Ernest Hollings (D., S.C.), called and asked if we could set up a meeting for [redacted] of the University of Puerto Rico who is interested in talking to Agency representatives on the University's plans to set up a Ph.D. program for Latin American students. [redacted] will make the contact.

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17. [redacted] Called Arden Schell on the staff of the House Judiciary Subcommittee on Civil Rights and Constitutional Rights, to ask about the status of H. R. 61, a bill on control of criminal justice information. She told me hearings had been scheduled for 20 and 22 May, and they hoped to reach mark-up stage in mid-June.

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18. [ ] 25X1  
Talked to Jim Wentzel, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, who had drafted the Administration's bill on control of criminal justice information, H. R. 61. I raised several questions about the bill, saying that I thought we might be covered by the definition of criminal justice agency, and that the consequences would be very hard for us to live with. He said that he didn't intend to cover the Agency and that he didn't think we would have any problem. I pointed out several sections to him and he said he would look them over and get back to me. In a short time he phoned me back and said that while he thought he had made clear what systems the bill was supposed to cover, he would encourage us to approach the House Judiciary Subcommittee on Civil Rights and Constitutional Rights if we believe more clarity was necessary.

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[ ] and I met with Ed Braswell, Chief Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, Clark McFadden, General Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, and Frank Slatinshek, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, to inform them we have acquired [ ] which may require a reassessment of our own projects. 25X1

25X1 20. [ ] 25X1  
Ron Tammen, Senator Proxmire's office, called regarding Dr. Proctor's meeting with the Senator on Monday. He said he told the Senator that Proctor would prefer to talk to him personally but the Senator does want either Tammen or Kauffman or both there. Tammen said the meeting could be set up anytime after 3:30. He said the hearings before the Appropriations Subcommittee could be set for 4 or 5 June. After checking with Dr. Proctor, I confirmed 3:30 on Monday, 12 May. I also informed Proctor that either Tammen or Kauffman would be sitting in on the meeting.

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[ ] called to say he had a message that Senator Henry Bellmon had called him. He wanted to know if we had any idea what the Senator wanted with him. I checked and told him we knew nothing about it. He said he would let us know what this is all about.

25X1 22. [ ] 25X1  
Mr. Duckett's secretary called to say Senator Stuart Symington had called Duckett directly, but Duckett would not be back until very late in the day. Mr. Cary called the Senator's office to pass this message and asked if there was anything he could do. Amelia Graves, Secretary to Senator Symington, said she did not know what the Senator wanted but he was out for the rest of the day anyway and Mr. Cary told her Duckett would call the Senator back tomorrow morning.

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